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- Legion Notes -

By J. B.
Hello, Comrades! With the Spring season just around the corner your publicity comrade after hibernating all winter, finally poked his head out after the long spell and saw his shadow, so decided to try and fulfill his obligations to the Legion; so here goes!

First, I would like to remind all Comrades of the open discussion meeting to be held on Friday, March 9th, at 8:30 p.m. A grand time is in store for those who can attend, so put your name on the board at once, so as the caterer may know how many meals to prepare.

Comrades, our annual general meeting will be held on Thursday, March 22nd, at 8 p.m. This is the most important meeting of the year. At this meeting you will hear read out the annual reports, the reports of all committees, the nominations for officers for 1945-46, etc., etc., so plan to attend.

Before the annual meeting gets really underway, a very important item on the agenda of the Legion is the initiation ceremony which takes place at this meeting. All members of the Branch not initiated should be on hand to become a full-fledged member, and entitled themselves to vote on all Legion matters. While on the subject we would like to ask the degree team to give Comrade T. Grievs their full support so as to impress this initiation ceremony on the minds of the candidates, and show the significance of this great organization of which they are to become members.

Quite a lot of interest is being shown at the present time in the discussions of officers to be elected for the next term. We overheard that at least five or six members have signified their intentions of leaving their names stand for the office of president. Other offices will be keenly contested, so comrades your help is greatly needed at the annual meeting.

All comrades greatly enjoy the little treat of meat pies on Saturday night. Comrade "Meat Pie Jim" as he will be known from now on deserves a hearty "thank you" for serving them piping hot last Saturday.

Notice to Comrade Dick Mitchell: The comrades would like you to please remove your car from the premises on Saturday nights from 8 p.m. to 8 p.m. Several comrades have been disappointed lately. As we were about to enter the Legion we hear the remarks—Everything is O.K. there's Dick's car. Please take note Dick.

Comrades! Would it not be a grand thing to have our own little paper so as we could print what we like. So many incidents happen in the club-rooms that would make good reading have to be omitted that it is a shame. How about forming a little committee to discuss this possibility.

IMPERIAL SECTION
The Imperial Section of the Canadian Legion held a grand evening last Friday in the Legion Hall when the doors were thrown open to all Legion members and their wives. The chairman of the Imperial Section welcomed the guests and turned over the proceedings to Chairman Comrade Harry Hale.

Comrade Hale called upon the Rhythm Babes to open the program which was followed by a vocal solo by Miss Grace Heerman, accompanied by the Rhythm Babes. Grace did very well and received well-deserved applause from the gathering. Community singing followed, led by Comrade Harry Hale who then rendered a vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. J. Emmerson at the piano. The President of the Legion, Com. H. Stallord, when called upon expressed the thanks of the Legion to the Imperial Section for their hospitality. Miss Jean Harley rendered a vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. J. Emmerson. Jean has a beautiful lyric soprano voice and her rendition of "Danny Boy" was received by the audience with thunderous applause. Her technique was of the best and her easy style of hitting the higher notes without effort amazed the listening audience. Jean consented to give an encore that pleased all present and we all hope to have the pleasure of listening to her in the near future.

Mrs. Chas. Day rendered a vocal solo accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Fred Gilmer. Mr. and Mrs. Day later rendered a duet which all enjoyed.

No bouquets are necessary for the old team of Harry Hale and Andy Dewhurst who rendered several songs in their own inimitable style, and as always were very well received by the audience. Mrs. J. Emmerson was their accompanist.

After the concert, a dainty lunch was served and catered by Mrs. T. Grievs and Mrs. Kembead. Dancing was then enjoyed to the music of the "Rhythm Babes." The entertainers were thanked by the chairman and the evening came to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

For the first time since taking over office of publicity three years ago this article is going through "uncensored." So if any comrades have any bones to pick the writer will meet them at the open supper-meeting on Friday night. So cheerio till then.—J.B.

REGULAR MEETING OF LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN

The Local Council of Women held their regular meeting Friday, Feb. 23. Miss A. Ryan presided and opened the meeting with silent prayer.

The minutes of the annual meeting were read and affirmed. The treasurer reported a nice balance to commence the new year's work.

Mrs. R. Ross reported on the annual meeting of the Red Cross and appealed for more workers. Miss Hettie Lawson read a paper on Citizenship, sent to all presidents and members by the Provincial Convener, Mrs. D. W. Harrison, Chatham, Ont. A paper written by Miss Hettie Lawson was read by Mrs. Vannatter on "How to Improve the Standard of Citizenship."

Increase the number of women in public positions by encouraging them to be candidates for public office. Increase respect for the rights of citizenship by honouring the coming of age of the young voters, by ceremonies at the time of naturalization of the foreign born, and by efforts to have registration of voters and attendance at the polls.

Increase the standard of citizenship by supporting those things which make for the enrichment of life. Increase the assistance we can give Canada in her part of building a new order with the focal point of adjustment on the attainment of improved possibilities for the citizen, the country's greatest asset.

Schools should be our training point and the importance of this training should be emphasized. We can all help by trying that our children be drilled not only in the principles, but in the practice of democracy and good citizenship.

GEORGETOWN TEACHER'S NEPHEW GIVES LIFE IN R.O.A.F.

PLU-Lieut. Donald Scott McNabb, only son of Mrs. A. L. McNabb, of Milton, died of wounds overseas while serving with the R.O.A.F. Born in Milton, he attended school there, later graduating from Normal School, and he was teaching school at time of enlistment four years ago. Overseas for a year, he trained at Fingal and Rivers, Manitoba.

Besides his mother, he leaves two sisters, Ruth and Mary. Miss Laura Scott, Georgetown Public School teacher is an aunt. To these, the sympathy of friends in this district is extended.

NATIVE OF GLEN WILLIAMS DIED IN TORONTO

Mrs. John Harvey, resident of Acton for the past fifty years, and a native of Glen Williams, passed away on February 22nd at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ann Somerville, Beaufort Apartments, Toronto, in her eighty-ninth year. Until a few weeks before her death Mrs. Harvey had been about as usual and enjoying fair health.

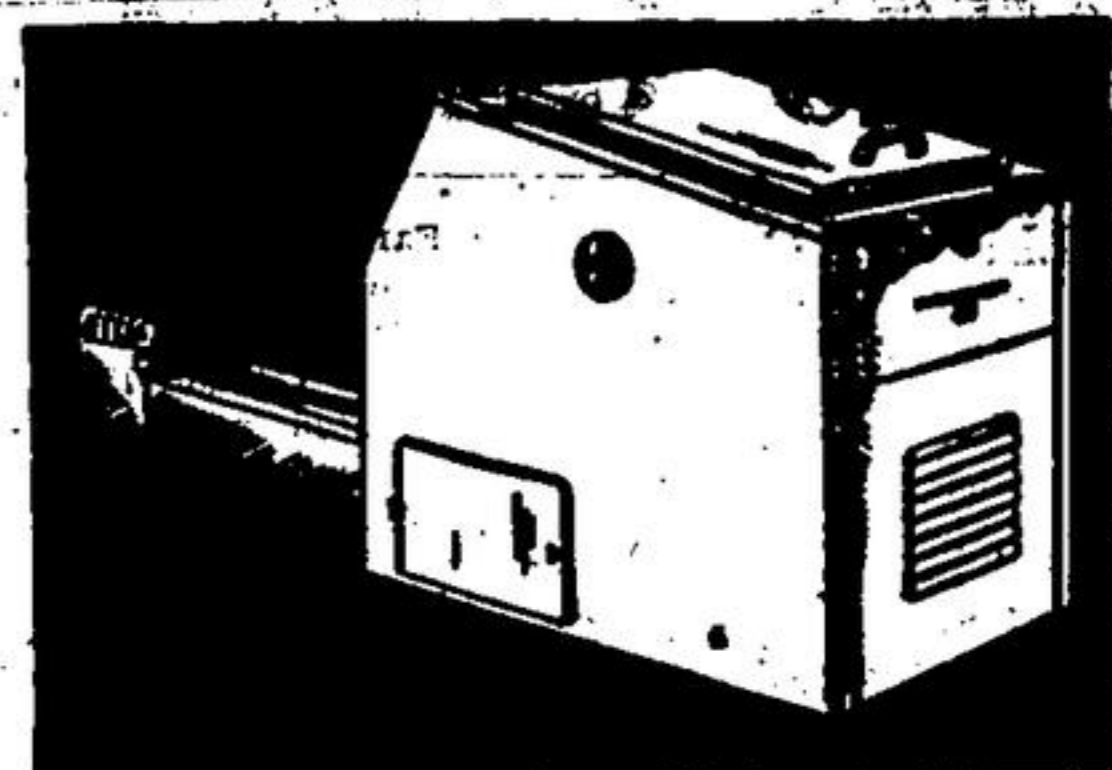
She was before marriage Agnes Anne McClure, a daughter of the late Wm. McClure and Elizabeth Smith, United Empire Loyalists. They settled on a farm near Glen Williams and it was here Mrs. Harvey was born. From 1887 until 1896 she resided in Acton. Her husband the late John Harvey predeceased her thirteen years ago. For a number of years he operated the flour mill there and later was Municipal Officer and Provincial License Inspector.

Mrs. Harvey was a quiet, motherly woman whose home and family had her constant and loving attention. She was a member of Knox Presbyterian Church and in early years was one who seldom was absent from the house of worship on a Sunday. For the past nine years she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Somerville in Toronto, with frequent and enjoyable visits to the home of the others' daughters as often as opportunity permitted.

A family of seven daughters remain to revere the memory of a loving mother. They are: Mrs. Banks (Jessie) Acton; Mrs. J. L. Moore (Mary) Milton; Mrs. E. J. Hassard (Margaret) Acton; Mrs. Somerville (Ann) Toronto; Mrs. Wm. Thompson (Alva) of Acton; Mrs. Collin McNile (Dora) of Detroit; Mrs. Fank Reed (Vera) of Buffalo. In their bereavement they have the sympathy of many friends in the home community and elsewhere.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon with a private service at the Johnstone & Rumley Funeral Home in Acton in charge of Rev. Forbes Thomson. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery beside the beloved partner who had gone on a little while before. The pallbearers were Messrs. Wm. Landsborough, Alex. Mann, W. K. Graham, Wm. Cooper, F. S. Blow and Geo. Smith.

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STOKER JOHN JAMES PRESUMED DEAD IN SHAWINIGAN SINKING

An official navy casualty list, released last week, listed 86 officers and men of the Canadian Corvette "Shawinigan" as "presumed dead." The ship was sunk November 24 while on operational duty in the north Atlantic. Named in the casualty list is Stoker 1st Class John Lloyd James, 22, of Hamilton. Born in Georgetown, Stoker James moved to Hamilton when a small child with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward James. He attended school there and after graduation had worked in Georgetown at Smith & Stone. His many friends there are saddened to hear of his death.

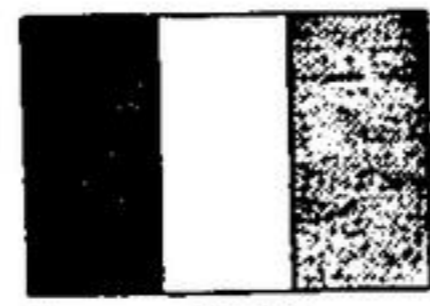
Surviving besides his parents are three brothers and a sister—Edward, overseas with the Canadian army, Fred, Arthur and Mrs. Owen Robert, all of Hamilton.

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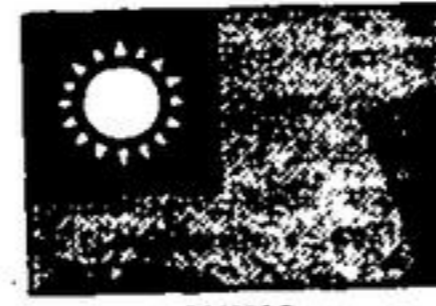
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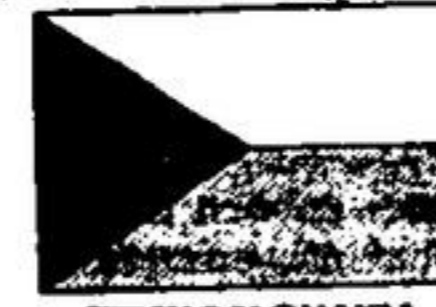
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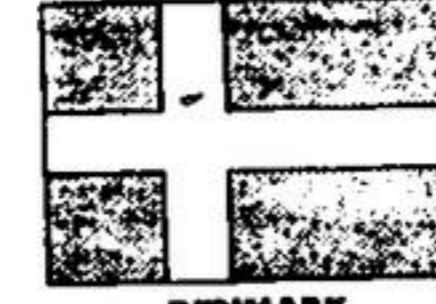
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